

# Summer 2006 Loads and Resources Operational Outlook

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# Summer 2006 California ISO Control Area Peak Forecast

#### **Most Likely Conditions**

Control Area Generation Capacity	
(includes 4000MW forced and planned outage rate)	42,600MW
Control Area Imports	9,000MW
Total Control Area Supply	51,600MW
Most Likely Control Area Demand	46,063MW
Operating Reserve Requirement	2,856MW
Total Reserve Capacity	5,537MW
Surplus Reserve	2,681MW
Operating Reserve Margin	12 %
Planning Reserve with DR and Interruptible programs	24.6%



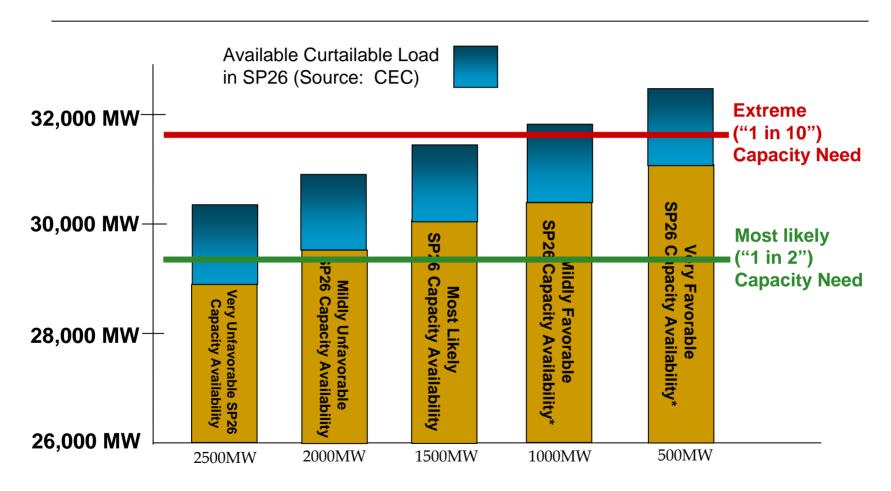
# Summer 2006 SP26 Peak Forecast

#### "Most Likely" Conditions

SP26 Generation Capacity	
(includes 1500MW forced and planned outage)	19,976MW
SP26 Import Capability	10,100MW
Total SP26 Supply	30,076MW
"Most Likely" SP26 Demand	27,299MW
Total SP26 Reserve Capacity	2,777MW
Operating Reserve Requirement	1,690MW
Total Operating Reserve	10.2%
Planning Reserve with DR and Interruptible programs	20%



#### SP26 Capacity Picture Under Various Generation Outage Scenarios <u>and</u> Loss of 2000MW of Import Supply



**Generation Forced and Planned Outage Rate** 



### **Short-Term Strategies**

- Conduct operator workshops
- Promote conservation
- Engage suppliers, load-serving entities, and transmission owners to assess needs and available supplies
- Coordinate maintenance (generation and transmission)
- Complete upgrades and increase transfer capability (1400MW transfer capacity, 800MW imports)
- Improve communication and coordination with LADWP and Bonneville (PDCI)
- Implement new market rules (e.g., Price Caps)
- Improve short-term forecasting process
- Develop operating tools and procedures



## **Long-Term Strategies**

- CPUC long-term procurement program (3700 MW by 2009)
- CPUC Resource Adequacy Phase II (capacity markets)
- Identify, study and approve needed new transmission lines (e.g., Tehachapi)
- Support transmission needed for renewables
- \$1.8 billion in transmission investment in Southern California over the next 5 years
- Streamline transmission development process
- MRTU